

NO. 62321

APPLICATION FOR PERMISSION TO CHANGE POINT OF
DIVERSION, MANNER OF USE AND PLACE OF USE OF THE
PUBLIC WATERS OF THE STATE OF NEVADA
HERETOFORE APPROPRIATED

ASSIGNED

Date of filing in State Engineer's Office JUL 24 1996

Returned to applicant for correction _____

Corrected application filed _____

Map filed MAY 25 1990 under 54759 EX. POU POD

The applicant Santa Fe Pacific Gold Corporation, Lone Tree Mine, hereby makes application for permission to change the manner of use and place of use of a portion of water heretofore appropriated under Permit No. 54763

1. The source of water is underground
2. The amount of water to be changed 0.067 c.f.s.
3. The water to be used for stockwater and wildlife --4,555 sheep and 407 cows
4. The water heretofore permitted for mining, milling, and domestic purposes
5. The water is to be diverted at the following point within the SW 1/4 SE 1/4 of Section 11, T.34N., R.42E., M.D.B. & M. or at a point from which the SE corner of said Section 11 bears S 71° 33'11" E a distance of 2,421.75 feet. The point of diversion is shown on the map that supports Permit 54763.
6. The existing permitted point of diversion is located within unchanged
7. Proposed place of use SE 1/4 SE 1/4 of Section 12, T.34N., R.41E., M.D.B. & M.
8. Existing place of use Sections 1,2,3,10,11,12,13,14,15,22,23, and 27, T.34N., R.42E., M.D.B. & M. and the S 1/2 NE 1/4 and the N 1/2 SE 1/4 of Section 29, T.35N., R.43E., M.D.B. & M. The existing place of use is shown on the map that supports Permit 54763.
9. Use will be from January 1 to December 31 of each year.
10. Use was permitted from January 1 to December 31 of each year.
11. Description of proposed works pipeline, stock tanks, and overflow pond
12. Estimated cost of works \$30,000
13. Estimated time required to construct works completed
14. Estimated time required to complete the application of water to beneficial use 3 years
15. Remarks: This pipeline will allow the distribution of the livestock in this part of the grazing allotment until Brooks Spring flows again, as well as benefit wildlife as a source of year-round water in that area. Four allotment holders can run a total of 4,555 sheep and 407 cows. The number of wildlife using the area is unknown, but historic recorded flow to be replaced is 30 gpm.

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Compared By lew/gkl cl/cms

Protested _____

APPROVAL OF STATE ENGINEER

This is to certify that I have examined the foregoing application, and do hereby grant the same, subject to the following limitations and conditions:

This permit to change the manner of use and place of use of a portion of the waters of an underground source as heretofore granted under Permit 54763 is issued subject to the terms and conditions imposed in said Permit 54763 and with the understanding that no other rights on the source will be affected by the change proposed herein. The well shall be equipped with a 2-inch opening for measuring depth to water. If well is flowing, a valve must be installed and maintained to prevent waste. The State retains the right to regulate the use of water herein granted at any and all times but does not take responsibility for the use of the Federal range.

This permit does not extend the permittee the right of ingress and egress on public, private or corporate lands.

The issuance of this permit does not waive the requirements that the permit holder obtain other permits from State, Federal and local agencies.

The total combined duty under this permit and those permits issued for mining and milling purposes in the name of Santa Fe Pacific Gold Corporation / Lone Tree Mine shall not exceed 3,144.0 acre-feet annually.

The amount of water to be appropriated shall be limited to the amount which can be applied to beneficial use, and not to exceed 0.041 cubic feet per second, or sufficient to water 4,555 head of sheep and 407 head of cattle.

Work must be prosecuted with reasonable diligence and be completed on or before:

January 14, 1998

Proof of completion of work shall be filed before:

February 14, 1998

Application of water to beneficial use shall be filed on or before:

January 14, 2000

Proof of the application of water to beneficial use shall be filed on or before:

February 14, 2000

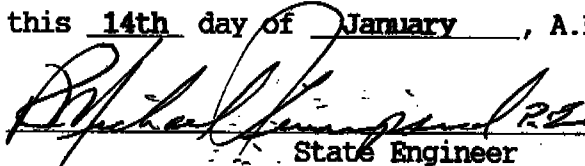
Map in support of proof of beneficial use shall be filed on or before:

N/A

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I, R. MICHAEL TURNIPSEED, P.E.,
State Engineer of Nevada, have hereunto set

my hand and the seal of my office,

this 14th day of January, A.D. 1997


State Engineer

Completion of work filed FEB 02 1999

Proof of beneficial use filed _____

Cultural map filed _____

Certificate No. _____ Issued _____